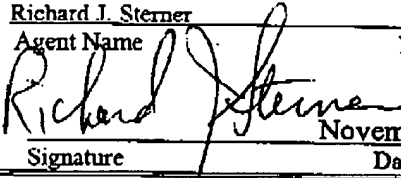


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This is submitted in response to the nonfinal Office Action mailed July 25, 2005 and as a follow-up to the October 12, 2005 telephone interview among the Examiner, her Supervisor, one of Applicants and two of Applicants' representatives, including the undersigned.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.